

# MESD, Corps sign pact

By Andy Siering  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — It's official. The Metro East Sanitary District and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers are now partners in rehabilitation of the MESD flood protection system.

"It's a very, very fine day for the MESD," said a jubilant Walter "Shang" Greathouse, MESD executive director, at a press conference Friday at U.S. Rep. Jerry Costello's office in Granite City. Col. James E. Corbin, St. Louis district engineer, accepted an MESD letter of intent on behalf of the Corps.

Col. Corbin said the Corps was now in "a partnership with the MESD. They will have quite a bit to say, as will we."

Costello looked on as Greathouse signed a letter legally committing the MESD to provide about \$6.35 million of its share of rehabilitation costs. On Feb. 28, voters in Madison and St. Clair counties bottomland areas approved a 20-cent tax rate increase for the next five years to provide the local share, 25 percent, of the cost.

Rep. Costello praised Greathouse, Col. Corbin and others who helped make the massive flood



LETTERS OF INTENT are signed Friday joining MESD and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers in partnership. Left to right are Shang Greathouse, Rep. Jerry Costello and Col. James E. Corbin.  
(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

control program possible.

Greathouse thanked Costello for his help in getting the federal government to hold the funds until this year, after the measure was defeated narrowly by voters in November.

"I don't know how we could have done it without his help and the help of the county board

chairman (Nelson Hagauer)," Greathouse said.

Costello said he viewed the nearly 3-1 margin of victory in the referendum as a vote of confidence in the MESD and Greathouse's leadership.

"The voters wouldn't have approved it if they didn't have confidence," Costello said.

Corbin was asked if there were safeguards to ensure that the MESD would not revert to the wasteful ways of its predecessor, the East Side Levee and Sanitary District, under which the flood protection system deteriorated. Assessment base declines also have been cited as leaving

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SINGING THEIR SONG: Students of the Granite City Park District preschool program sing song during the annual Winter Carnival in the Granite City High School

gymnasium. Various dance class members and gymnasts later displayed their skills to the audience.  
(Photo by Buddy Bortz)

## Madison dismisses 58 teachers, staff

By Nicole Vaughn  
Staff writer

MADISON — In accordance with the Illinois School Code, District 12 honorably dismissed 28 teachers and 29 other personnel members at a public hearing Friday night.

The district employs 97 teachers, including administrators, and 56 staff members.

"The board has made no firm decision as to who will or will not be rehired," John Hamm III, board president, said.

The district joined some 100 others on the Illinois State Board of Education's financial watch list in February and has been seeking ways off it ever since, Hamm said.

"Cutting out everything would only further decline enrollment and the tax base," Hamm said. "People would say 'There's nothing to offer the kids here' and they would go somewhere else."

Hamm said the board will soon present a modified program, following cuts.

Superintendent Dan Kostencki described the district as "personnel top-heavy" but said that as it should be in education.

Kostencki blamed state legislators for many of the budgetary problems and urged the 25 member-audience to contact them.

"They (legislators) are holding up and not being responsive to the needs of education," Kostencki said. "It's not just in

Madison, but in the whole state of Illinois. Education is being held hostage as a result."

Teachers receiving honorables dismissals include:

Non-tenured (two years of service or less): Deborah Williams, Steven Larsen, Tina Buckingham, Robert Reeves, Elizabeth Laurent, Patricia Stock, Yolanda Williams, Jeffrey Vetter, Gayle McRoberts, Pauline Lane, and Flore Van Koten.

Tenured: Mary Beth Ortbals, Keith McFarland, Glenda Harris, Georgia Snell, Linda Stoll, Sherrell Byrd Jr., Kathleen Guinan, Johnna Wells, Richard Harmon, Ida Lacy, Mark Jiles, John Petish III, Lois Robinson, Susan Borsstein, Donald Smith, Petrice Burrell, Ronald Crader and Barbara Cox.

Other staff members receiving honorables dismissals include:

Custodians: Martin Bonk, Ron Jones, and Stanley Sak.

Teachers' aides: Charles Cessna, Ann Coleman, Eurline Lewis, Angela Mallett, Juvenia Bradley, Bobbie Booker, Arneka Terrell, Eleanor Vrabec, Louise Jimerson and Rosalee Boelling.

Cafeteria personnel: Mary Beth Sipes, Mary Pryor, Prince Ella Leonard, and Vester Buckels. Cornelia George, Cecelia Pingel, Phyllis Richmond, Wilda Sue Miller, Imogene Richmond, Perrole Rockett, Maudie Waters, Delores Economy, Edna Ragsdale and Marie Whitecotton.

## Venice votes accepting new insurance plan

By Andy Siering  
Staff writer

VENICE — In its continuing effort to cut its budget deficit, the City Council has unanimously agreed to switch to a different insurance plan for approximately 60 city employees.

The old plan was no longer being offered by the city's current insurance company, Principal Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Des Moines, Iowa.

A representative of the company, Lawrence A. Blumenthal of Clayton, Mo., presented three alternative plans to the mayor and the council. At his recommendation, the council adopted the cheapest one of the three.

The new plan will save the city about \$52,000 a year on insurance premiums. Details of the new plan include a directory of doctors and hospitals which employees can utilize to lower their total medical bills and improve their percentage of coverage.

Mayor Tyrone Echols said that insurance costs for the city had doubled since 1975. He said the new plan was still too costly for the financially strapped city, and exploring the possibility of getting coverage through the Illinois Municipal League.

He said the plan is the same adopted several months ago by Madison.

## Effective Wednesday School changes phone numbers

By Nicole Vaughn  
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Following spring break, parents, students and employees of School District 9 will have a list of new phone numbers to learn.

The district will switch to Centrex phone service during the next few days, with the phone numbers going into effect Wednesday.

A one-time cost of \$2,203 for installation of the service by Phone Masters Limited, Wood River, was approved as a cost-saving measure by the school board in early December.

"We will not only save money on monthly charges, but we will also reduce toll charges, since we will have extended call service (to St. Louis) on all the lines," Ron Landman, District 9 director of buildings and grounds, said.

Currently, only five of the 34 lines have extended call service.

Through a seven-year contract with Illinois Bell, the new system will offer estimated monthly savings of \$275.

With these projected savings, the installation cost would pay for itself in less than 10 months, Landman said.

Other features of the system include speed calling, conference calling and call transfer between schools.

One school will also be able to

## Madison Co. Federal insolvent, stays open

By Andy Siering  
and Ed Gurney  
Staff writers

GRANITE CITY — Madison County Federal Savings & Loan Association was placed into conservatorship Thursday morning by the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corp.

But the institution is in no danger of folding, and deposits (both principal and interest) remain insured up to \$100,000 per account, an FSLIC spokesman said.

"It's absolutely business as usual," said the spokesman, Signie Allen. She said an oversight team is in place, headed by an agent from the Federal Deposit Insurance Corp., and the firm will continue usual operations.

"There has been no interruption in service, nor will there be," she said.

"We knew we were on the list. We just didn't know when it was going to happen," Madison County Federal President Paul Sodko said.

The arrangement is only an extension of the agreement the savings and loan has had with the Federal Home Loan Bank for a year and a half, he said. The Home Loan Bank supervises savings and loans and has been working closely with Madison County Federal due to a series of operating losses.

"The only difference I see between now and before is we have another layer on our management chart," Sodko said.

Allen said the savings and loan, which has four offices in Madison County, had assets of \$136 million at the end of 1988, with deposits of \$131 million in 23,000 accounts. She said the S&L was "not severely insolvent" but had a "negative net worth of approximately 2.9 percent."

She emphasized the untruth of rumors that had been circulating around town saying that only principal was insured. "That is not true," she said. "Principal and interest both are insured up to \$100,000."

The cause of the institution's problem was had (unproductive) loans in the Southwest, particularly in Texas, she said. The ailing oil industry in Texas and Oklahoma has thrown the economy of the entire Southwest into a tailspin in the last few years, she added.

In the future, Madison County Federal "will probably focus more on traditional lending," such as family mortgages and consumer loans, Allen said. Under deregulation, some savings and loans have branched out into a greater variety of loans.

Nationally, a large portion of the whole S&L industry has been in trouble in recent months, she said. Many firms have merged, under federal prodding.

Madison County Federal was one of 44 S&Ls where the federal government intervened Thursday, including Midwest Home Federal Savings Bank in Belleville and Home Federal Savings and Loan Association of Centralia.

Madison County Federal's main office is at 3600 Nameoki Road. It also operates in Collinsville, Edwardsville and Troy.

Allen stressed that Madison County Federal will continue normal operations. Contracted rates on certificates of deposit will also remain in effect, she said.

Allen said Madison County Federal had experienced higher than normal withdrawals during February, but nothing that could be described as a run on the S&L.

The managing agent in charge of the oversight team is Richard Robley of the FDIC regional office in Indianapolis.

Madison County Federal reported a relatively normal business day Friday, one day after being placed in the federal conservatorship program.

The action was taken as a result of the plan President George Bush announced last month to help the savings and loan industry.  
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## Dist. 9 phone numbers

Board of Education	451-5800
Granite City High School	451-5808
Niedringhaus School	451-5813
Marshall School	451-5815
Wilson School	451-5817
Webster School	451-5819
Frohardt School	451-5821
Prather School	451-5823
Coolidge Junior High School	451-5826

## Numbers not changing

Grigsby Junior High School	931-5544
Maryville School	931-2044
Mitchell School	931-0057
Parkview School	931-5700

contact another by dialing a three-digit code, Landman said.

However, Grigsby Junior High and Maryville, Parkview and Mitchell elementary schools will not be involved in the system changeover.

They cannot be connected

because their phone service is provided by the Pontoon Beach Central Office, Landman said.

The district has no immediate plans to route the system through those buildings because of the cost involved, Landman added.

## Last-minute letter policy

ELECTION-RELATED letters to the editor will be published for the final time on Thursday, March 30. The only exception will be letters rebutting comments made in that edition. Because of space and time limitations, readers are advised to submit letters immediately. The election is Tuesday, April 4.

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The East Side Levee and Sanitary District passed an ordinance providing for the construction of a \$2.1 million sewage treatment plant, to be called the Landowne plant, in East St. Louis.

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# 10 candidates vie for 4 village positions

By Valerie Evenden  
Staff writer

**PONTON BEACH** — A lively election is expected in the April 4 balloting when voters will be given a choice of opposing candidates for four trustee posts on the village board.

Two slates of candidates are offered for each position by the Concerned Citizens Party and the Continuing Growth Party, and there are two independent candidates.

Trusteeships expiring are three seats carrying four-year terms and one seat for a two-year term.

Incumbents Donald Rea and Carl Hackney are not seeking re-election. Rea's seat carries a four-year term and Hackney's is for two years.

Candidates in the Continuing Growth Party are:

Incumbents Robert Dan Abel and Robert E. Vincent and newcomer Donald Ray McNew, all seeking four-year terms, and James L. Hill for the two-year vacancy.

Candidates of the Concerned Citizens Party:

Robert L. Douglas, Marvin Ribbing for and Samuel R. Stoyanoff, seeking four-year terms, and Irene Karlechik, vying for the two-year post.

Candidates listing themselves as independents are:

Randall E. Presswood, who is seeking a four-year term, and Dana R. Wallace, running for the two-year opening.

Continuing Growth Party candidates:

Abel said, regarding his bid for re-election, "I want to continue helping the village to progress." He has lived in the village more than 50 years and has served eight years as a trustee. He is chairman of the board of the Police Committee.

Abel, 59, resides at 4115 Breckenridge Lane with his wife, Bertha. They have a son, Dan, 31. A Granite City native, Robert Abel owns and operates Abel's Auto Body and Repair on 20th Street. Previously he worked many years at Hundley Pontiac and Harding Oldsmobile.

Abel attended Granite City High School and also several military schools, including Parks Air College.

He is a member of Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 1300, Masonic Lodge 830 and Anna Shrine Temple. He was formerly active in the U.S. Coast Guard Reserve.

Vincent, 36, also has been a trustee for the past eight years and serves on the board of Police and Street committees. He is employed as a truck driver with St. Louis Envelope Co.

"I want to continue to work for and support the growth and development of Pontoon Beach," Vincent said.

He and his wife, Debbie, and children, Bobby, 14, and Autumn, 9, reside at 6 Mimosa Court. Born in Anna, Ill., he has lived in the village for 16 years.

He graduated from Collinsville High School and attended Belleville Area College, studying law enforcement.

Vincent is a former zoning administrator for the village. He also is a former precinct committeeman for six years and was



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R. Vincent



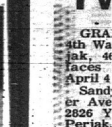
D. McNew



J. Hill



R. Douglas



M. Ribbing



S. Stoyanoff



I. Karlechik



R. Presswood



D. Wallace

a member of the Madison County Democratic Central Committee's executive board.

McNew, 55, a former village trustee, is seeking to return to the board. He cites his previous experience as trustee and is "hoping to be able to assist in the growth of the village," he said.

McNew has resided in Pontoon Beach for 41 years. He was born in Lawrenceville, Ill., and graduated from Princeton (Ind.) High School.

He and his wife, Patricia, live at 3868 B St. They are the parents of two grown children, Don McNew Jr. and Lori Nikonovich.

McNew recently resigned as zoning administrator to become a trustee candidate. He is employed as a general stockman by SCL Corp.

A retired firefighter with the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department, he is a member of Emmanuel Baptist Church, Masonic Lodge 877 and Anna Shrine Temple.

Hill, a lifetime village resident, is seeking a two-year term on the board. As a citizen, he is interested in the community's "where it is headed," he said.

He resides with his wife, Diane, at 11 Iris Ave. They are parents of three, Scott, 26, Julie, 24, and Todd, 20.

Born in Granite City and a graduate of Granite City High School, Hill attended night classes for six years at Southern Illinois University.

Hill is a member of First Baptist Church, American Legion Post 113 and Masonic Lodge 835.

He is employed as a supervisor at the Madison Printing Co. He was formerly employed as a foreman at Reynolds Metals and as a supervisor at American Steel and General Steel Industries.

Concerned Citizens Party candidates:

Douglas, 37, who was born in Granite City, is a lifelong local resident. He is seeking to serve as a trustee "to establish fair and open government for all citizens of Pontoon Beach."

He resides with his wife, Ellen, and their 11-year-old daughter, Stephanie, at 12 Iris Ave.

A self-employed general maintenance contractor, Douglas is in business at 3317 West Chain of Rocks Road. He previously worked as a route driver/salesman for PFD Supply of Granite City.

Douglas is a Granite City High School graduate and attended Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville for two years and the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College.

He served in the U.S. Army and is a member of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, AMVETS Post

51 and Eagles Aerie 1126. Douglas was health officer for the village until recently resigning to become a trustee candidate. He cites his experience in working with the people of the community among his qualifications.

Ribbing, 43, resides at 7 Lily Ave. with his wife, Audrey. The couple has four children, Michael, 20, Ann, 18, Katherine, 14, and Kristin, 8.

"While the Pontoon Beach area is poised on the edge of exciting growth, I feel that guidelines must be established that give of concern to the people of the village. Fair and equal enforcement is imperative," Ribbing said, speaking of his reasons for seeking office.

A resident of the village for 20 years, Ribbing formerly served for 18 months as a village trustee by appointment. For two years he was a representative of the Madison County Special Service Area I on the Granite City Regional Treatment Board. He has been a member of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department for 15 years.

Ribbing is a quality assurance tester at Gil Co. Wood River, where he has been employed 20 years. He served four years in the U.S. Air Force with duty in Vietnam and worked as a draftsman for Nooter Corp. for two years.

He is a graduate of Assumption High School and attended Weber State College, Ogden, Utah, Washington University, St. Louis, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and Belleville Area College. At BAC, he took instruction in firefighting, emergency medical service and hazardous materials handling.

Ribbing is a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, Operating Engineers Local 525 for 20 years, and the Granite City High School Band and Parents Association. He served as Cystic Fibrosis chair chairman for three years.

He cites his experience in helping people while attempting to achieve the goals of civic organizations.

Stoyanoff, 58, is a lifetime resident and lives at 6 Pearl Court with his wife, Delores. They are the parents of a daughter, Dawn Marie, 28, and a son, Stacy J., 19.

"With the rising cost of government and no additional services, I am in favor of abolition of the utility tax and openness in financial accounting methods," the candidate said.

Stoyanoff served four years in the U.S. Navy during the Korean War, from 1951 to 1954. He was born in Granite City and is a Granite City High School graduate, also completing administrative studies through Southern

Illinois University classes at Alton in 1957 and 1958.

Currently employed as a custodian by the Granite City School District, Stoyanoff retired as a department head at American Steel Foundries, where he was employed 23 years.

He is a member of Holy Trinity Bulgarian Eastern Orthodox Church and AMVETS Post 204. "I worked 25 years in management at ASF and feel I would be of help in the management of the village," Stoyanoff said.

Karlechik, a candidate for the two-year board term, has resided in the Pontoon Beach area for 38 years. She has served 14 years as an appointed trustee of the Long Lake Fire Protection District.

"As a concerned candidate, my primary concerns are the citizens of Pontoon Beach and returning pride and integrity to the area," Mrs. Karlechik said.

Prior to retiring, she was employed by the Granite City School District for 23 years as secretary at the former Stallings School. Her husband, John, is deceased.

Karlechik, 66, resides at 4118 Lake Drive. She has a daughter, Judith, and a son, Michael. She is a member of St. John Lutheran Church.

Her qualifications include 18 years as secretary of Local 96, Service Employees Union, seven years as deputy tax collector and 14 years with the fire district.

She is a former Girl Scout leader, AMVETS Auxiliary officer, Long Lake Fire Department Auxiliary officer, Granite City Area PTA Council secretary and school PTA officer.

Independent candidates:

Presswood, 29, seeking a four-year term, resides at 43 Greenwood Drive with his wife, Susan. Born in Granite City, he has resided in the village four years.

Presswood is a heavy-equipment operator employed by the Metro East Sanitary District.

He is a graduate of Granite City High School South. Presswood attended Belleville

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Wednesday - Fried chicken, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, apple sauce, cookie.

Thursday - Chili or chili mac, crackers, celery and carrot sticks, cheese chunks, pears.

Friday - Good Friday, no school.

St. Mary's, Madison  
Monday - Cheeseburgers, later tots, green beans, peaches.  
Tuesday - Sloppy joe on bun, potato chips, corn, apple pie.  
Wednesday through Friday, March 24, Easter vacation.

**Senior Citizens**  
Monday - Chili with crackers, chef salad, baked apples.  
Tuesday - Salisbury steak, mashed potatoes, zucchini and tomatoes, cobble cake.

Wednesday - Meat loaf, rice pilaf, carrot/raisin salad, apple sauce.

Thursday - Easter egg, baked ham, au gratin potatoes, green beans, pineapple upside-down cake.

Friday - Good Friday, no lunch.

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## Two challenge incumbent in GC 4th Ward

GRANITE CITY — Incumbent 4th Ward Alderman Sharon Perjak, 46, of 3228 Carlson Ave., faces two challengers on the April 4 ballot.

Sandy Shaw, 41, of 1557 Dodge Ave. and Dan Brown, 50, of 2826 Yale Drive are opposing Perjak.

Brown is an attorney and the co-owner of Van Arch Ltd., a public relations and community development firm in Granite City. He was born in St. Louis and has been a resident of Granite City for six years. He is president-elect of the Granite City Ambassadors.

He is a member of the Missouri Bar Association, the American Association of Retired Persons, the Granite City Council of Senior Citizens, Hospice of Southern Illinois and the Business Committee of the Media Club.

Brown said he believes the main issue in the campaign is who is best qualified to represent the 4th Ward on the City Council and that his more than 20 years of experience as an attorney and businessman make him the most qualified candidate for alderman in the ward.

He said his top priorities if elected will be areas of the 4th Ward which have drainage problems that must be dealt with immediately, areas where streets desperately need upgrading, and areas of the ward where the traffic will soon become a gridlock if proper steps aren't taken.

"I believe that every citizen owes a duty to his community to help whenever he is able," Brown said. "I believe that the next decade is crucial to Granite City, that many important decisions must be made and that I can be a positive factor in helping make those decisions."

Brown is married to the former Rosmarie Linder. Perjak has been an alderman for eight years and is office manager of the architectural firm of Peckham Guyton Albers and Viets Inc. in St. Louis. She is state central committeewoman for the 21st Congressional District and served three terms as a Democratic precinct committeewoman.

She is a member of the Tri-Cities Area Chamber of Commerce, the City of Granite City Joint Council-School District 5



Sandy Shaw

DARE Committee and the United Methodist Women.

Perjak said the Granite City economy has been declining for a number of years and that, as an alderman, it has been her position to investigate, evaluate and be progressive about any issue concerning the economic growth and development of the city.

She said she was instrumental in establishing the Downtown Tax Increment Financing District that, with the right guidance, could revive the downtown area.

She said she worked diligently for an ordinance, that ultimately failed, to make Granite City an entitlement city eligible to receive federal community development funds directly rather than through Madison County.

Perjak said she has stood "strong and tough" on a lot of issues and stands for growth, development and comprehensive planning for the city. "My record is open for anyone to review," Perjak said. "I am very proud of it and my position on the economic and social improvement of Granite City. I have voted affirmatively on every issue and proposal that would improve the city: street and sewer improvements, important zoning issues, elimination of the telephone tax and a host of others."

Perjak has two children. Shaw is a lifelong resident of Granite City. Currently a housewife, she previously worked for the Missouri Pacific Railroad.



Sharon Perjak

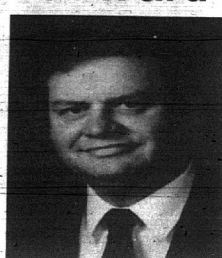
Site Oil Co., the First National Bank in St. Louis, Ralston Purina and the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

She is a graduate of Granite City High School and attended the University of Illinois in Champaign.

She has served six years as a member of the Planning and Zoning Commission.

She is a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, the Elkettes, Elkettes Clown Unit and the Madison County Police Association.

Shaw said she has been attending City Council meetings for 1 1/2 years and, as a member of the Planning and Zoning Com-



Dan Brown

mission, has been working with the Campbell Design Group on a comprehensive city plan.

Shaw said she is running for alderman because she wants to see the betterment of city government.

"I want to see that all city ordinances are followed by everyone," Shaw said. "I want to eliminate ordinances that are not pertinent."

"I feel it's time someone without political commitments decides what's best for the city, not someone who's decisions are made for political cynicism."

Shaw and her husband Bob have three children.

## 3 contenders vie in Granite's 3rd Ward

GRANITE CITY — Three candidates are competing in the 3rd Ward race for the aldermanic seat now held by Bret Hanke, who decided not to seek re-election.

Alan Scott Milton, 31, of 2442 Lincoln Ave., Andrew Paul Timko, 70, of 2263 Grand Ave. and Emmett "Joe" Williams, 45, of 2573 Grand Ave. are all lifelong residents of Granite City.

Milton is the manager of the MetroSports health club in Alton. He was previously an instructor of air conditioning at Belleville Area College. He attended Granite City schools, Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, and BAC. He is a member of the First Presbyterian Church in Granite City.

He said he has lived, gone to school, worked and is now raising his family in Granite City. He said he wants to be an alderman to have a voice in the decisions that affect his family, friends and neighborhood.

Milton and his wife Cynthia have two children.

Timko is retired from Schermer's Market in Madison. He attended St. Joseph School and Granite City High School. He is a member of Holy Family Catholic Church, the Knights of Colum-

(See 3rd Ward, Page 6A)

## County gets housing grant

WASHINGTON — Sens. Alan J. Dixon and Paul Simon have announced community development grants totaling \$8,328,000 for eight Illinois communities and three counties.

Madison County has been allocated \$137,000.

The grants will be awarded by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Develop-

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## Letters

### Simpson gave a lot to life

To the editor:

Over the past eight years, articles have found their way into the *Press-Record* mentioning my deceased husband, Gary Simpson, and his incredible ability to play basketball. (He was as good, if not better, at basketball.)

These articles usually end with the fact that he did not go on to play professional basketball with some type of statement that impresses the reader with the idea that his not playing as a pro is more of a tragedy than his death. I want to add a few things about Gary that have never been said. These things have nothing to do with basketball.

Gary was good at anything he did, but he was happiest with the simple things in life. He was honest, pure of heart, humble and the most caring person I have ever known. I am sure

these attributes helped him with his sports drive, but something much more important is that his persons gave strength to anyone around him.

Gary's genuine quality was his greatest asset because it was infectious and uplifting; truly better than life. I survive and raise my children with help from my memories of Gary. Having known him has helped me over many obstacles in my life and will probably help me over many more.

The saddest thing about Gary's short life is that he is virtually unknown to his children in a living state.

He was a loving father for the short time he could be one. If he were still alive, he would be as wonderful a father as he was a local sports star.

CHELLE SIMPSON  
Granite City

### 'Facts' didn't belong in story

To the editor:

I am writing in regard to the March 4 sports page article "Determining."

Mentioning Gary Simpson's basketball record is fine, but why were his personal problems even mentioned? Mr. Simpson's

family and friends do not need a reminder of so-called facts, and in printing this article you have done a great disservice to his widow and fine children.

Shame on you and Don Detering.

ROBERT W. WESTBROOK  
Granite City

### Tighten campaign fund limit

To the editor:

Recently, the amount of money spent in local political campaigns has increased so dramatically that it is time for action to limit amounts spent in these elections.

Between 1974 and 1986, spending for House and Senate seats increased over fivefold from \$74 million to \$372 million — and over \$150 million of this came from powerful special interest PACs (political action committees) to buy special access to influence in Washington.

House Resolution 14 that has been introduced into the House of Representatives would change the present campaign finance system and help restore integrity to the election process.

It would cut PAC influence by establishing limits and would help stop the spending spiral.

I hope Congressman Jerry Costello not only supports HR 14, but will step forward and help co-sponsor this important legislation.

RAY HOLLMANN  
Fairview Heights

### Warfield should prove self

To the editor:

I normally do not get involved in city politics. I, as a rule, take the advice of relatives and close friends.

But after our recent storm, I was compelled to evaluate the performance of our street department, under the direction and supervision of Mac Warfield.

I can appreciate that the primary streets have to be cleared first to handle the major flow of traffic. But how does it benefit anyone that after several days you cannot get off your street, to these primary routes?

In all my years as a resident of Granite City, I have never seen the streets in such horrendous condition. Not only the haphazard way the snow was cleared, but also the general condition of most of our streets.

I, like all other property owners, pay a fair share of taxes. But this situation makes one wonder, "How is my tax dollar being spent at the street department?"

I called there for help and an employee told me, "I'm sorry."

ma'am; we are doing the best we can. But most of our snow removal equipment is broken down."

After further contacts with other officials in the city, discussing my complaints, I was informed Mr. Warfield's department has never been refused any equipment or manpower when he has asked for equipment or personnel. If this is true, Mr. Warfield, then where does the problem lie?

Don't you have any specific preventive maintenance program, so as to keep all your equipment in an operable condition at all times? Or does your thinking follow the adage, "It's running today — tomorrow will take care of itself?"

Mr. Warfield, this is not meant as a personal attack, but frankly, sir, if you cannot perform the duties as a street superintendent, how do you figure you could solve the problems of our city (as mayor) when you have not yet solved the problem of removing snow or fixing our streets?

SHIRLEY STAR  
Granite City

### Against the council's raises

To the editor:

The Granite City mayor and council did not use good business practice when they voted themselves a pay raise without first presenting a 1989 fiscal budget to show if pay raises were appropriate. No sound business does this type of shoddy business practice. Why should city government? Any business?

No, the mayor and council

became dictators and they believe that they can do anything they so desire without public approval. Citizens of Granite City, wake up quickly.

I ask citizens: Is this the type of government that you want for this city, county, state and nation? Then do something to change it, please.

WILLIAM A. DALTON  
Granite City

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Just two months after taking office, **MAYOR VON DEE CRUSE BROKE A TIE AND VOTED TO** bring an ordinance to the City Council to REPEAL the utility tax.

**AUGUST 27, 1985**

The ordinance was defeated by the City Council.

**SEPTEMBER 16, 1986**

The ordinance was defeated a second time by the City Council.

The only time **MAYOR VON DEE CRUSE** was called upon to vote on the utility tax, **HE VOTED TO BRING AN ORDINANCE TO THE CITY COUNCIL TO ABOLISH IT.**

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**CRUSE**

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**SENIOR CITIZENS ACTIVITIES**

Just look at the facts.

On **AUGUST 6, 1985**, just three months after taking office, **MAYOR VON DEE CRUSE ESTABLISHED A SENIOR CITIZEN BOARD** (Minutes of the August 6, 1985 City Council Meeting.)

This organization has met on a regular basis, contracted with Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville to assess the needs of our seniors, and, together with Mayor Cruse, established a Granite City Senior Information and Referral Office in FEBRUARY, 1987.

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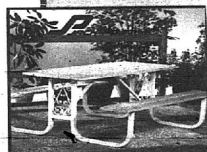
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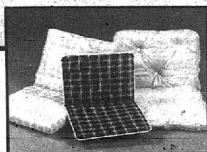
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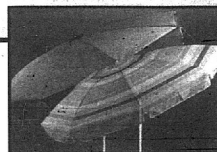
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Emmett "Joe" Williams

### •3rd Ward

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bus, the VFW and the Fraternal Order of Eagles.

He has served as a precinct committeeman and said he believes he can serve the city and all the people of the 3rd Ward.

"I would like to see revived, clean neighborhoods and good city government. I know that I can get along with the people and the city officials," he said.

Tinko and his wife Bernice have three children.

Williams is a millwright with the continuous caster department of Granite City Steel. He previously spent 24 years as a machinist at American Steel Foundries.

He attended Sacred Heart and

Andrew Paul Tinko

Granite City schools and graduated from Granite City High School.

He has attended welding, blueprinting and hydraulics classes and emergency medical technician training.

He is past member of the Dewey Avenue Methodist Church and a member of United Steelworkers of America Local 660 (with an honorable withdrawal card). He is a member of the Illinois Police and Fire Commissioners Association and the Granite City Board of Fire and Police Commissioners and has been a Democratic precinct committeeman for 11 years. He served the Democrats as vice chairman for four years and secretary for two years.

Alan Scott Milton

Williams has spent six years as vice president and member of the board of directors for American Steel Credit Union, four years as a member of the board of the American Red Cross, three years as disaster chairman for the Red Cross, and 17 years as shop steward and safety representative for the International Association of Machinists union at American Steel Foundries. He is currently a shop steward with Steelworkers Local 16.

"I enjoy helping people to solve their problems and as an alderman I believe I could do that and help make our city a community we all can be proud of," he said.

Williams and his wife Barbara have four children.

## Central Christian Church to kick off capital fund drive

Central Christian Church, 2020 Johnson Road, will kick off a capital fund drive with a dinner March 21, and Patrick Collins, chairman of the church council, said a \$75,000 goal is earmarked for alterations and improvements.

He said normally the church only participates in building a structure once in a lifetime. "Our pledges to this capital fund drive will be our opportunity to help maintain that capital investment that many of you made 25 or 35 years ago. Central Christian Church will continue to provide for religious needs of generations to come," he said.

The major alteration will be replacing all flat-roofed areas with a gable or hip roof, as well as providing accessible handicapped restroom facilities and thoroughly renovating the church's nursery area. Heading the fund drive is Lois Ann Bilyeu.

In 1901, a group met in a tent under the Merchant's Bridge in Venice. They later held meetings in members' homes in North Venice until 1902 when they had a formal meeting place in the Rosenberg Hall at 19th and State streets in Granite City.

In 1906, the Niedringhaus Trust gave the church a lot at 22nd and State streets on which a building was erected and dedicated in December of that year. It was from this site that the group moved in 1936 to the Johnson Road site.

Central Christian Church has been an active participant in the area's activities. Besides the Ministerial Alliance, there have

been a number of members serving as leaders in Church Women United. Tiny Tim classes, sponsored by the Easter Seal Society, were held in the church fellowship hall and a Boy Scout troop was chartered and sponsored by the church under the leadership of David Parrish for 18 years.

The Granite City Branch Library occupied space on the church grounds for almost three years until its new building was ready for occupancy last fall. For several years the Granite City Art Guild and the Old Six Mile Historical Society have held monthly meetings in the church's fellowship hall. Many people have cast ballots in all types of elections at the church as the church is a regular polling site.

Victory Sunday for the capital funds drive is scheduled for April 9.

### •MESD

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keep floodgates, pump stations and canals in top condition.

"For good or bad," Corbin said, "the second project, a multi-million-dollar series of 60 deep wells to control groundwater, is to be funded entirely by the state and federal governments but will not begin at this time."

Groundwater planning is at an earlier stage than the development of the system of rehabilitation work, Joseph Effertz said.

He will serve as the rehabilitation project manager for the Engineer Corps.

Corbin said the project will take four to five years to complete, depending on what needs to be done. "Sometimes you get out there and what you thought was there isn't," he said.

Greathouse said he would have

with any emergencies that might occur.

Project costs are estimated at \$25,437,000, including \$19,080,000 in federal expenditures.

Corbin said the project will take four to five years to complete, depending on what needs to be done. "Sometimes you get out there and what you thought was there isn't," he said.

Greathouse said he would have

to borrow about \$130,000 until August, when tax money comes in, to match the federal share for work on the first stage of the project: the clearing out and repair of gravity drains running from the system's pump stations to the Mississippi River.

Gravity drain work will start immediately upon awarding of a contract, probably in September, Corps officials said.

Greathouse said the MESD would have to engage in "borrow-payback" financing each year until August 1990 tax collections. The tax increase will be \$1.15 million for each of the next five years.

Thereafter, MESD will receive about \$400,000 annually to operate and maintain the refurbished facilities.

### •Insolvent

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Allen said. "What has happened is a managing agent has been placed into the insolvent. It'll be working hand-in-hand with the current management to stabilize the operation of the plant."

In effect, the FDIC is assuming management of ailing S&Ls through a contract with the FDIC, he said, but "customers won't notice a change at all."

Employees and board members will remain and will work with the managing agent. However, final decisions on the operation of the savings and loan will rest with Robley, Allen said.

Sodko agreed with Allen in pointing to a downturn in the Texas economy. His firm made a number of investments in Texas, mostly in the Austin area, Sodko said.

He said his firm had "good profits" in 1988. But Mason County County Federal lost about \$9 million and \$10 million in the last two years because of a drop in the value of properties it owns in Texas, Sodko said.

Even the most conservative economists in the world did not foresee the drop in the oil economy in Texas, Allen said. "They weren't bad investors," he said.

"We used very conservative lending practices. We made the same kinds of loans there that we make here."

The southern investments were prompted not only by the deregulation of the industry but also by the desire to make more money to pay competitive interest rates on deposits, Sodko said.

However, the downward slide in the value of properties it owns in Texas, Sodko said. Even the most conservative economists in the world did not foresee the drop in the oil economy in Texas, Allen said. "They weren't bad investors," he said.

## Teletthon raises \$2.62 million

By Dell Chubb

Staff affiliate

The Sammy Davis Jr. Variety Teletthon raised a record \$2.62 million over the weekend for the rescue of handicapped children in the bi-state area.

The total collected during the 23rd edition of the annual event was about \$150 million. The \$2.47 million collected in 1988.

The 19-hour teletthon, broadcast live on KMOV-TV (Channel 4) from the stage of Kiel Auditorium, featured Davis with co-hosts, the Minnelli and other show-business personalities including Angie Dickinson and Arnie Johnson.

The proceeds, which benefit more than 100 children's charities, are part of more than \$20 million that has been raised by the St. Louis Variety Club.

The local club is part of the worldwide Variety Club International, which has 15,000 members in 14 countries.

The Variety Club started on Christmas Eve, 1928, when a month-old baby girl was found on a theater seat in Pittsburgh's Sheraton Square Theater.

Her name, according to a note pinned to her dress, was Catherine.

"Please take care of my baby," the note said. "I can no longer take care of her. I have eight others. My husband is out of work. I have always heard of the goodness of show business. I believe in God who will look out for her."

The note was signed "A heart-broken mother."

The proceeds of 11 men associated with show business agreed to underwrite the infant's support and education.

News of the drama reached show-business people the world over. Shortly thereafter, they began to band together to help needy and handicapped children, naming their organization after the variety shows that were prevalent at the time.



**VARIETY CLUB HONOREES.** Marguerite Ross Barnett, chancellor of the University of Missouri-St. Louis, was named the Variety Club's Woman of the Year, and Anheuser-Busch president August A. Busch III was named Man of the Year.

During last weekend's teletthon, August A. Busch III, chairman of the board and president of Anheuser-Busch Cos. Inc., was named the Variety Club's Man of the Year, and Marguerite Ross Barnett, chancellor of the University of Missouri-St. Louis, was named Woman of the Year.

In honoring Busch, Zane E. Barnes, president of the St. Louis Variety Club and chairman and chief executive officer of Southwestern Bell Corp., said Busch's contributions to the community as a business and civic leader, and the encouragement and support Anheuser-Busch has given the St. Louis Variety Club for more than 20 years.

Especially mentioned was Busch's work as president of the St. Louis Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America, and his

work as director emeritus of Junior Achievement of Mississippi Valley Inc.

Barnett was recognized for "the considerable impact she has had upon the community."

Especially noted was her partnership for Progress program, which works to unite students, the university and local business and industry to meet the technology challenges of the 21st century.

Barnett is on the board of directors of Civic Progress, Mercantile Bank, Union Electric Co., the Boy Scouts, the Girl Scouts, the St. Louis Symphony, the Arts and Education Council, the St. Louis Community Foundation, the Missouri Botanical Garden, the Student Loan Association and the Committee for Economic Development.

## Obituaries



Edward Barge

### Barge

Edward J. Barge, 64, of Dexter, Mo., formerly of Granite City, died at 3:01 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 1989, in the emergency room of St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been ill for three years.

Born Jan. 17, 1925, in Madison, he had lived his entire life in Granite City before moving to Dexter eight years ago. In 1979 he retired from Granite City Steel as a steel pourer after working there for 34 years.

Mr. Barge served with the Navy in World War II. He was a member of the Long Lake Volunteer Fire Department for many years prior to moving, and Calvary Baptist Church in Dexter.

Survivors include his wife, Edna (Woodworth) Barge, whom he married July 14, 1951, in Granite City; one son, John Barge of Dexter; two daughters, Brenda Elliott of Dexter and Susan Thompson of Pontoon Beach; two sisters, Nellie Koszela of Granite City and Eleanor Barge of Madison; and six grandchildren.

Visitation began at 5 p.m. Saturday and will continue today (Sunday) at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road. Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday at Thomas Chapel with the Rev. Bob Wiggins officiating. Burial will follow at Lake View Memorial Gardens in Belleville. Memorials may be made to the Madison County Association for the Blind.

### McLinn

Zona M. (Lawrence) McLinn, 93, of Madison died at 5:34 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 1989, in the emergency room at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Born Aug. 28, 1895, in Terre Haute, Ind., Mrs. McLinn resided in the Quad City area for the past 75 years. She was of the Protestant faith.

Mrs. McLinn retired in 1958 from a garment factory in St. Louis, where she was employed 25 years as a seamstress. Her husband, James E. McLinn, died April 11, 1963.

Among the survivors are two daughters, Mrs. Edna Mae McLinn, both of Madison; two grandchildren, six great-grandchildren and three great-great-grandchildren.

Graveside services were held Saturday at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates with Dan Koszinski officiating. Friends visited Saturday at Lahey-Sedlack Funeral Home in Madison prior to the services.

### Lottery

Results of the Illinois State Lottery were:  
Thursday, March 16: 071  
Pick 4 Game: 4795  
Friday, March 17: 293  
Pick 4 Game: 0690  
Cash's Game  
05 10 20 21 22

### Buehrer

John E. Buehrer, 73, of East Alton, formerly of Granite City, died at 6:05 a.m. Saturday, March 18, 1989, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been ill one year and was hospitalized two weeks.

Born in Chouteau Township, Mr. Buehrer resided most of his life in the Granite City area. He was a member of St. John United Church of Christ.

Mr. Buehrer was a farmer for many years in the East Alton area. For a 15-year period during the 1960s and 1970s he also owned and operated a service station in St. Jacob.

He was a charter member of the Wood River Eagles Aerie. Among the survivors are a brother, Julius Buehrer of East Alton; three sisters, Mrs. Fred (Amelia) Schmidt and Louise Buehrer, both of St. Louis, and Rosalie Ramsey of Columbia, Ill.; and several nieces and nephews.

Visitation begins at 4 p.m. today (Sunday) at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, where an Eagles service will be held tonight. The Rev. James Buehrer will officiate at 10 a.m. Monday at Thomas Chapel. Burial will be at St. John Cemetery, 2901 Nameoki Road. Memorials to the American Cancer Society are suggested.

### Christoff

Manio Christoff of Astoria, N.Y., formerly of Granite City, died Friday, March 17, 1989, at a hospital in Astoria. He had been ill one month and in the hospital one week.

Mr. Christoff, who was about 90, came to Astoria when he was 12 years old from Oposka, Macedonia. He resided here until moving to Astoria three years ago.

Prior to retiring, Mr. Christoff was employed more than 40 years in the maintenance department at Granite City Steel. He was of the Eastern Orthodox faith.

Mr. Christoff served with the U.S. Army in Europe in World War II.

Among the survivors are a niece, Mrs. Elias (Kostantine) Markou of Astoria; a godchild, Mrs. Robert (Seacaca) Ripley of Collinsville; and two nephews.

### Guenther

Marilynn E. (Irwin) Guenther, 61, of Wood River, formerly of Granite City, died at 2:15 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 1989, at Wood River Township Hospital. She had been ill for one week and in the hospital the same length of time.

Born Nov. 6, 1927, in Granite City, she lived here until moving to Wood River in 1950. Mrs. Guenther worked as a registered

nurse at Wood River Township Hospital from 1948 to 1956 and was of the Protestant faith.

Preceding her death was her first husband, Ed Black, in 1960. Survivors include her husband, Howard Guenther; two sons, Scott Black of Alton and Richard Black of Wood River; and one granddaughter, Sarah Black.

Visitation was held Friday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals in Granite City, where funeral services were conducted Saturday by the Rev. C. Dale Edwards. Burial was at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates on Illinois 157.

### Leary

Frank J. Leary, 72, of Granite City, died at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 1989, at Christian North-east Hospital, St. Louis County. He had been ill a short time.

Mr. Leary was born on Nov. 12, 1916, in Richley, Tenn. He had been a Granite City resident since 1950. Prior to his retirement in 1977, he was a collector for Meil's Landfill.

He is survived by his wife, Gertrude (Kluttz) Leary of Granite City; two daughters, Charlene Maxfield and Wilma Finch, both of Granite City; five grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren. There will be no service or visitation. Mr. Leary's remains will be cremated. Irwin Chapel for Funerals, Granite City, was in charge of the arrangements.

### Slotta

Michael A. Slotta, 79, of Granite City, died at 12:55 p.m. Thursday, March 16, 1989, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. He had been ill for several months and in the hospital for five days.

Mr. Slotta was born Oct. 21, 1909, in Cleveland and had lived in Granite City since 1953. In 1974 he retired as a diesel operator for Illinois Central Railroad, where he had worked for 33 years.

He was a member of Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Madison and American Legion Post 307. He was a veteran of U.S. Army service.

Survivors include his wife, Rose (Miskiri) Slotta; one son, John Slotta of Granite City; one brother, John Slotta of Hartshorne, Okla.; two sisters, Mary Potchney of Cleveland and Julia Wright of Hartshorne; and three grandchildren.

Visitation was held Friday at Irwin Chapel for Funerals in Granite City and funeral services were conducted Saturday at Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church in Madison by the Rev. Thomas Succarotte. Burial was at the Nativity of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Cemetery in Edwardsville. Memorials may be given to the church.

## Grassroots

Upcoming meetings of Quad-City Area governmental taxing bodies include:

Granite City Council, 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 21, City Hall, 2000 Edison Avenue.

Madison City Council, 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, March 21, City Hall, 1539 Third St., Madison. Venice School Board, 7 p.m. Thursday, March 23, Board Office, Broadway and Seventh Street, Venice.

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# Anniversary, birth mark day of remembrance

Edward and Aleene Robertson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a dinner and dance on March 5 at the Madison Recreation Center.

The party was hosted by their children and their spouses, Gene and Carol Robertson of Madison and Janet and Frank Cowley of Granite City, and their grandchildren and their spouses, Cindy and Mark Roderick, Ed Cowley, Gene and Lisa Robertsons Jr., Teri and John Lake, Amy Robertson, and Lisa Robertson. The hall was decorated with gold and white balloons and gold streamers. A catered dinner was served by Petri Catering.

Mrs. Robertson is the former Aleene Anderson. The couple was married in St. Louis County, where Robertson was stationed at Jefferson Barracks while serving in the Army. Robertson is retired from Monsanto Co. in St. Louis, and Mrs. Robertson is retired from the Venice Post Office.

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By Kathy Dohal  
877-1096



One of the highlights of their anniversary was the birth of their first great-grandchild, a boy, born on their anniversary date of Feb. 28.

Robertson's mother from DeSoto, Mo., who is 90 years old, was unable to attend.

Relatives attending were: Lorette Reynolds, DeSoto; Mr. and Mrs. Lindell Reynolds and family of St. Genevieve, Mo.; Mr. and Mrs. Don Knuckles of DeSoto; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Scerba of Edwardsville; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Grant of Collinsville; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bradthorn and Heather of Collinsville; Mr. and

Mrs. Ron Covarrubias of Collinsville; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gilligan and family of Edwardsville; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson of Granite City; and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Robertson of Granite City.

Other guests attending were: Francis Cowley, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Burris, Kathleen Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shifter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dohal and Linda, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Hayes, all of Madison. Also, Catherine Deis and Jim Andrews, both of Granite City; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pierce of Moberly, Mo.; and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Pierce of St. Louis.

Sara Poznanovich was guest of honor at a seventh birthday party held at McDonald's Restaurant on 19th Street and Madison Avenue. Games were played and prizes were awarded.

Refreshments were served to Sonny Robyne and Cookie Fields; Holly Mark and Amanda Derossett; Mike Poznanov-

ich; Alvers Brooks; Linda Dohal; and Terri Davenport.

Sara is in the first grade at St. Mary's-St. Mark's School.

St. Stanislaus Lodge 1004 members attended 8:30 a.m. Mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Madison followed by a breakfast at Polish Hall.

Entertainment was furnished by the Polish Hall Dancers. Performing was Brittany Kult, Stephanie Kult, Chris Kult, Julie

Heitert, Jennifer Romanic, Toni Mendez, Jennifer Stimac, Linda Dohal, Cindy Bisto, Geoffrey Lux, Alexis Lux, Kendra Gavlick, Ashley Krawiecki and Melissa Kuzmierczak. Lisa Kult is the dance instructor.

About 140 attended the event. President Stan Serwatka welcomed everyone and the Rev. Jim Keefner led the prayer.

Sister Mary John, principal of St. Mary's-St. Mark's School,

announced winners of the annual Safety Poster Contest.

Winners were: grade one, Darius Taylor, Holly Derossett and Sara Poznanovich; grade two, Shawn Benyr, Linda Dohal and Steve Conaster; grade three, Amber Bailey, Melissa Skinner and Tamika Dunlap; grade four, Jeff Skinner, Ronata Johnson and Amanda Derossett; and grade five, Jessica Apponey, Holly Narvaez and Andrea How-

## Junior Service next meets March 20

The meeting Feb. 20 of the Granite City Junior Service Club was held at Ravennelli's. Hostesses for the evening were Debbie McMillan, Pat Murphy and Carol Jones.

The meeting was brought to order by Vice President Jeannie Wilbur.

The club held its Easter Egg Hunt March 18 at St. Peter's Church, for club members and their families. Melia Rosenberg, McMillan, Diane Simon and Janice Worthen were in charge of organizing the Easter egg hunt.

The scholarship committee will have applications available at Maryville Area College. Deadline for applications to be turned in is April 30.

The next meeting, March 20, will be held at St. Peter's Church. This will be the club's annual Hobby Auction. Each

## Clubs

member will bring two items to be auctioned. All members are asked to bring a guest and a dessert.

## Literary Club uses Cupid theme

The Lesche Literary Club met at the home of Burdine Holtzsch.

Using the Valentine's Day theme of cupids and hearts, the hostess served a dessert course to 10 members and two guests.

President Ruth Seymour called the meeting to order. Dorothy Davis led the Pledge of Allegiance and Catherine Schnipper the Collect.

The minutes of the January

meeting were read and approved. The treasurer's report was filed. The Bylaws Committee read the changes, and the revisions were approved by the club.

The program consisted of current events. Each member responded to the roll call with an item of interest of world conditions.

The next meeting will be in March with Betty Harmon.

Those present were: Harmon, Bess Henley, Burdine Holtzsch, Jerry Jackson, Virginia John, Schnipper, Seymour, Verma Stuart, Dorothy Davis, Geneva Miller, honorary member, and Hannah Kleinschmidt, associate member.

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# Local couple surprised for 40th anniversary

David and Daisy Ferguson of Meadowland Drive celebrated their 40th wedding anniversary March 4 with a surprise party at the Western Club in East Alton.

The party was hosted by the couple's two sons and their wives, Frank and Nancy Ferguson of Wood River and Doug and Wendy Ferguson of Cottage Hills.

The hall was decorated beautifully in a burgundy and pink theme by Nancy and Wendy Ferguson. At the door near the guest book stood an easel that held photographs of different stages of the couple's life in their 40 years together.

One of the couple's sons, Doug, got them to the party under the pretense that he had to make a stop at the club before he took time to meet the rest of the family at a nearby restaurant.

As they walked in to take a quick look at the hall, they were greeted by 120 guests.

A buffet dinner was served on tables centered with a bouquet of burgundy and pink anniversary balloons.

Present were Mrs. Ferguson's father, Joseph Bennett; her two

## Mitchell News

By Maxine Duniphan  
931-2714



sisters, Wanda McDaniel and Edna Caldwell and her husband, Dock, all of Murphysboro; four of her aunts, Fanny McBride of Roxanna, Evelyn McGee of Carpenter, Dorothy Bennett of Gillespie and Norma Tupper and husband, Alec, of Hartford.

Also attending were Ferguson's sisters, Kathryn Baine of Tamm, Ill., and Mary Weis of Jonesboro, Ill., and two school friends, Rose Mary Prater of Staunton and Blanch Baine of Tamm.

Other friends and relatives included Betty Poddig, St. Peter's, Mo.; Maxine Ferguson, St. Charles, Mo.; Scott and Connie Kelley, Villa Ridge, Mo.; Guadalupe and Evelyn Augulla and Steven and Sarah Baine, all of Tamm.

Present were many friends from the Chouteau Township

Senior Citizens Club and the Wood River Missionary Baptist Church, where the couple attends church, including the pastor of the church, James R. Pool.

Kindergarten students Brittany Courtis, Jessica Forsee, Cassidy Grant and Angela Valdez were selected for the honor of "Student of the Week" at Mitchell School. They were selected for their attitude, their interest and their willingness to try.

A meeting is planned for Monday (following the distribution of commodities) at the Chouteau Township Social Center, 806 N. Thorngate Dr., to discuss plans for a park at the west end of the township building and garage. The meeting will begin at 9 a.m. Interested parties are invited. The park is planned as a community development project and will not raise taxes.

John and Karen Orr hosted a farewell party March 5 for her nephew, Richard J. Kostoff, who was leaving for the U.S. Naval Training Center at Great Lakes the following day.

Present for dinner were the

honoree's parents, Joe and Marie Kostoff; his grandparents, Jim and Jeri Schieb; Norman and Brenda Richter and sons, Norman Jr. and Paul; Dawn Kostoff and friend Chip Lator; and the honoree's friend, Robin Steward.

Maxine Duniphan, her husband, Clifford, and her sister, Lucy Colbert, have returned from a trip to southeast Missouri, where they visited their parents.

They visited Clifford's father, Leonard Duniphan, at McGee, Mo., to help him celebrate his 84th birthday March 11.

They also visited Mrs. Duniphan's and Colbert's mother, Lillian Carver of Puxico, Mo., where they celebrated their brother Eugene's 88th birthday (also March 11) on Sunday.

Jeri Schieb was the hostess for the meeting of the Mitchell Bunco Club on March 9. Lunch was served at noon followed by an afternoon of Bunco play.

Present were Mary McKinnon, Millie Smith, Karen Orr, Marie Burris, Barbara Fulmer and Norma Jean Bennet.

Prizes were won by Orr,

Schieb and Burris.

The Chouteau Township Senior Citizens will meet March 23 at the Township Social Center for their annual St. Patrick's Day dinner. The club will serve corn beef and cabbage. Members will bring a covered dish of their choice and there will be music to dance.

The month of February

showed another month of perfect attendance for Mitchell School students. There were 20 days of school when no students were absent or tardy.

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## Pageant participant to visit church

Singer Paula George will visit Good Shepherd United Methodist Church, 3025 National Ave., at 10 a.m. Sunday.

Pastor John E. Davis invites the public. George is from Rock Falls. She is the youngest daughter of Don and Vera George, who were at the Rock River Christian Center in Rock Falls.

George was a contestant in the Miss Illinois Pageant in 1987, where she placed in the top 10, and won a preliminary talent award for her presentation of "We Shall See Jesus." She did sign language as she sang. She is traveling to and singing in churches every weekend. She has appeared on television stations in Chicago, Decatur and Marion, as well as television stations in Kentucky and Arkansas.

She also has three albums and was featured in the national Southern Gospel Magazine, "The Singing News."

## Sunrise service slated March 26

The annual Easter Sunrise Service at Wilson Park's ice skating pavilion will be held from 6 to 6:30 a.m. on March 26. The service will be in its 41st year.

Following the service, which will be aired by WGNU-AM, light refreshments will be served in the lobby of the pavilion.

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Rev. Dr. Ellis T. Rottmann of St. Louis. He is director of stewardship and evangelism for the Missouri District of the Lutheran Church—Missouri Synod. Leading those who assemble in the worship portion of the service will be the Rev. David Fielding, pastor of Hope Lutheran Church in Granite City.

Sponsor of the service will be the Lutheran Bureau of the Tri-Cities, made up of commissioners from the three local Lutheran churches, plus the three clergymen. Chairman this year is James Chao; secretary, Vergil

Ware, treasurer, William Seibold. The sunrise service is open to the public.

## Program slated on Heaven, Hell

The Union Missionary Baptist Church Senior Choir will sponsor a "Heaven and Hell Program" at 4 p.m. today (Sunday) at 800 Canal St., Brooklyn.

The theme will be "Where Will You Spend Eternity?" The Rev. Robert Thomas of First Corinthian Church Lovejoy will be the guest speaker.

A double drawing will be held at the door for seating and for refreshments in the lower level.

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**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Corporate Authorities of Venice Township shall hold and conduct a public hearing at 8:00 P.M., Tuesday, March 28, 1989, at the Venice Township Office, 1502 Fifth Street, Madison, Illinois, on the question of the adoption of the 1989-1990 tax levy, which, as proposed, would exceed the 1988-1989 tax levy by more than 105%.

As estimated to be extended by the Madison County Clerk, the 1988-1989 tax levy of the Venice Township will produce the following revenue \$154,919.30.

The proposed 1989-1990 tax levy of the Venice Township would produce the following estimated amount of \$271,912.00.

The percentage increase in the 1989-1990 aggregate tax levy over the 1988-1989 aggregate tax levy is 76%.

All persons desiring to be heard on any matter regarding the proposed budget and tax levy of the Township for the year 1989 may appear and be heard at the same time and place.

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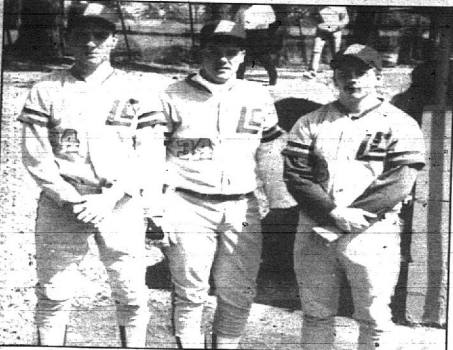
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# Old Warriors never die; they just go to LCCC



GRANITE CITY BUCKS: Former Warriors now at Lewis and Clark Community College are, left to right, Darin Hendrickson, John Moad and Craig Dippel.

EAST ALTON — To someone who watched Darin Hendrickson, John Moad and Craig Dippel work themselves up the baseball ladder in Granite City the past three years, it comes as a shock to see them in baseball uniforms which aren't predominantly red.

But there they were Thursday at Van Preter Park, decked out in the green and gray of Lewis and Clark Community College. It was a typical baseball day in March — nice and sunny but windy and more than a little chilly.

But although Hendrickson, Moad and Dippel were no longer wearing the Granite City red, things weren't really that different from days gone by. Van Preter Park was the scene of a memorable high school game two years ago on a bone-chilling late March night when the Warriors lost 8-7 to Wood River. Hendrickson was then a senior and Moad and Dippel were juniors.

And most of their teammates on this year's Lewis and Clark team are familiar faces from high school days. Other Bucks include Roxana's Tony Stocklin, who won Thursday's first game

## Sports Comment

By Dave Whaley



2-1 over Kaskaskia. Also playing for LCCC are Edwardsville's Mark Ringering, Roxana's Ron Sheff, Wood River's Eric Decker, Cahokia's Scott Chandler and Alton's Wayne Harris, just to name a few.

Hendrickson may not be as overwhelming as he was in high school and American Legion ball, but he's become an accomplished college pitcher. He pitched his second complete-game win of the year in Thursday's nightcap, winning 4-3 when Alton's Alan Robertson blasted a three-run homer in the fifth inning. Hendrickson is 2-0 on the year.

Bucks coming back with a winning record.

Moad, one of the Warriors' leading hitters the past two years and the top pitcher on last year's high school team, is the starting first baseman for Lewis and Clark. He hasn't done a lot of hitting so far, but has drawn 14 walks already.

"My batting average is around .220, but my on-base percentage must be around .600," he said.

Moad's father, Woody, suspected that Kaskaskia coach Larry Smith might not have been too anxious to pitch to John, who originally enrolled at Kaskaskia last fall before transferring to Lewis and Clark after a short stint down south.

"He did pretty well down there on the field," said Woody. "But he's really happy up here. Joe Silkwood is really a nice guy. John's played good defense so far."

Dippel hasn't played much for the Bucks after leading the Warriors in hitting as a senior with a .360 average.

"I'm just waiting to get a chance and show them what I can do," he said.

As of now, freshmen Moad

and Dippel are getting themselves acclimated to college life. Dippel is mad at Moad because John won't loan him a book to study for an upcoming test. Moad maintains that Dippel bought the wrong book in the first place. Ah, the problems that freshmen have.

Meanwhile, Hendrickson is looking forward to a game this Saturday at home against Rend Lake. That could feature a duel between the nasty pitches of Hendrickson and the wicked bat of an old friend, Todd Hinterser. The two didn't meet in the one game between the two teams last year, but it's clear that Hendrickson is hoping to get a shot at "Butch" this year.

NOTES: Many of Granite City's old baseball heroes will be together again this summer when the city's new Mon-Clair League team plays its first season. The Merchants will open Mon-Clair League play May 14 with a double-header at home against the Sauget Wizards. The Merchants, managed by Daren DeFew, open play in the Metro East Night League with a game at Highland on May 17.

## Warrior track season opens Monday

GRANITE CITY — The first varsity sporting events of the spring season for Granite City High School are this week as the Warrior track team competes in a triangular meet Monday in O'Fallon.

Granite City, O'Fallon and Mascoutah will be the participants. The Warrior runners enter the season with a few strong areas, although last year's premier performer, high jumper Vince Darnell, has graduated.

Couch Dave McClain rates senior Mike Fea (long jump), junior Allen Williams (open quarter), junior Joe Thomas (shot put) and senior Rick Dawes (shot put and discus) as the Warriors' best bets at possibly placing high in local meets.

### Schedule

3:20 O'F & Masc at O'F (boys)	4:30
3:21 O'Fallon girls	4:30
3:22 Belleville West (B & G)	4:30
4:11 Belleville E. Inv. (B & G)	11:30
4:12 Belleville W. Inv. (B)	11:30
4:16 CAKORIA (B & G)	4:30
4:17 Tiger Relays at SIUE (G)	3:30
4:18 B. East & Alton (G)	4:30
4:20 Tiger Relays at SIUE (B)	3:30
4:25 Madison County Meet (B & G)	3:30
4:26 Marion Relays (B & G)	4:30
5:11 SWC Meet at Coll. (G)	4:30
5:12 SWC Meet at BE (B)	4:30
5:13 SWC sectional	1:30
5:13-27 Boys state meet at EU	7:30
5:13-27 Boys state meet at EU	7:30
Home meet in ALL CAPS.	

Reynolds. Sprinters are Williams, Fea and the Noud twins (juniors Tim and Terry). The Nouds, Williams and Fea will handle the sprint (400 and 800) relays as well as the mile relay.

Senior Brian Bjorkman, juniors Tim Chandler and Rich Franklin, and sophomore Larry Strader will run the two-mile relay and also in the mile and half mile. Seniors Randy Odum and Eric Achenbach, plus junior Tom Minor will run the hurdles.

Backing up Fea in the long jump will be Williams and sophomore Tom White. High jumpers include sophomores Dan Braze and Brian Cholewick, and Minor. Dawes and Thomas will be joined in the shot put by junior Frank Vivod. Senior Dan Grayson will join Dawes in the discus

event.

The Warriors will once again compete in many of the area's top meets, including the Belleville East and Belleville West invitational, the Tiger Relays at SIUE and the Madison County Meet. The Southwestern Conference meet is May 11 at Belleville East and the area-wide sectional is May 20, with the boys state tournament in Charleston on May 26-27.

"Alton is the team to watch this year," said McClain. "East St. Louis will be very strong, but Alton came on last year and should be about the best in the area."

More on the Warrior girls team, which also opens this week, will appear in a later issue.

## Scoreboard

### BOWLING SCORES

March 8  
Thursday Delights  
Boys high series

Joey Byrd	292
Adam Tassae	251
Thatcher Vaughn	185

### Boys high game

Michael Werthen	115
Cory Simpson	94
Ryan Davenport	84
Ryan Moenster	64

### Girls high series

Tiffany Gubser	377
Stacy Miller	271
Beth Goclan	271

### Girls high game

Andrea Knox	130
Sara Johnson	115
Jaime Mertz	110

### March 11

### Bentley Division

### Boys high series

Timothy Wallace	358
Paul Kacava	298
Shannon Gergen	218

### Boys high game

Eric Burkey	113
Tristan Choi	99
Justin Sumers	87

### Girls high series

Christina Greathouse	338
Carla Sulphur	296
Nelly Ryan	240

### Girls high game

Tiffany Harris	106
North Ginder	161
Jordana Cotter	96

### Prep Division

### Boys high series

Robert Brookshier	618
Paul Palanski	503
Christopher Roedy	443

### Boys high game

Shane McCallister	309
Phillip Dean	299
Eric Mertz	161

### Girls high series

Tammy Mendenhall	535
Amanda Timmons	367
Wendy Atkinson	342

### Girls high game

Crystal Timmons	148
Theresa Dawes	122
Katherine Gregory	120

### Junior Division

### Boys high series

Keith Hendrickson	591
Dale Newberry	442
Tilly Brown	440

### Boys high game

Chris McMillan	186
David Love	186
Jason Rumpf	166

### Girls high series

Christy Parra	408
Jaime Beaver	381
Holly Mason	377

### Girls high game

Darla Bauer	175
Kellie Gregory	144
Angie Franko	137

### Major Division

### Boys high series

John Costar	662
Doug Buehner	656
Slacy Jackson	623

### Boys high game

Derek Strong	244
Brace Davis	244
David Dushoff	244

### Girls high series

Paul Sloan	461
Jason Call	362
Adam Sanchez	363

### Boys high game

William Jaffer	156
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### Saturday Afternoon Juniors

### Boys high series

Paul Sloan	461
Jason Call	362
Adam Sanchez	363

### Boys high game

William Jaffer	156
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RECEIVING PLAQUES for doubles and singles at Bowland Lanes were, in photo at left from left to right (first row) Phillip Dean, Joey Byrd, Theresa Dames and Robert Row, Keith Hendricks, Todd Wright, Jason Stroud and Todd Neel. Not pictured is Joshua Gaffney. In photo at right are other plaque winners Joshua and Jeff Wonders.



WINNERS IN THE 9-pin No Tap tournament at Bowland included, left to right, Joey Byrd, Shane McCallister, David Love, Joshua McCunney and Eric Vallo. Not pictured is Chris Hildreth.

1st place: Todd Neel & Todd Wright 1100 scratch series	1296
2nd place: Jason Stroud & Jeff Wonders	1186
3rd place: Phillip Dean & Phillip Dean	1186
4th place: Joshua Gaffney & Mike Galati	1186
5th place: Jason Stroud	1186
6th place: Keith Hendricks	1186
7th place: Todd Mendenhall	1186
8th place: Robert Brookshier	1186
9th place: Theresa Dames	1186
10th place: Robert Brookshier	1186

### 9-pin No Tap Tournament

### 8 & under

1st place: Joey Byrd	8-11
2nd place: Joshua McCunney	8-11
3rd place: Eric Vallo	8-11

### 12 & over

1st place: David Love	12 & over
2nd place: Christopher Hildreth	12 & over

COUGARS OUSTED: Edgar Wilson had 16 points, but the SIUE Cougars dropped a 100-87 decision in overtime to Kentucky Wesleyan in the first round of the NCAA Division II Great Lakes Regional in Owensboro, Ky., on Thursday. SIUE had a 52-42 halftime lead, but had to rally to tie the game at 84-84 before being outscored 16-3 in overtime. The Cougars (22-7) closed out their season by playing Ferris State in the consolation game of the regional on Friday.

## Coolidge knocks off Edwardsville 35-22

The Coolidge Junior High seventh grade girls basketball team topped Edwardsville 35-22 last week, handing Edwardsville its first loss of the year.

Coolidge was 8-3 heading into its season finale against Madison and is in second place behind

Edwardsville (10-1). Danielle Hightower scored 17 points to lead Coolidge. Also scoring were Shannon Green and Kari Buckingham (six points each), Kami Kessel (4) and Liz King (2). No Edwardsville players scored in double figures.

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## St. Louis soccer associations merge into one group

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The Budweiser Select Soccer League, C.Y.O. Major League, and the Busch National Soccer League have agreed to function under the Budweiser Amateur Select Soccer Group umbrella.

Three different leagues will operate within the organization of the Major League, with a maximum of eight teams playing a single round-robin regular season schedule; and the National and American leagues, which will feature double round-robin games within the league and single round-robin crossover games.

Similar to the European soccer leagues tier structures, the first-place finishers in the National and American leagues will automatically move into the Major League the following season. The bottom two teams in the National or American league, with the second-last finisher in the Major League

receiving the option.

While all participating teams will compete as part of the Budweiser Amateur Select Soccer Group, the organization will maintain the voting power of three leagues in the Missouri Senior Soccer Federation. The structure has been approved by the United States Soccer Federation.

# Senior Citizens Fair set Monday at SIUE

The annual Senior Citizens Fair will be held Monday 20 at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Activities are scheduled from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

The event is free to all area senior citizens. Ballroom dancing, displays, social service and health care informational booths and health screenings will be featured during the fair.

Groups providing entertainment include: Alton High School Choir; Young at Heart, St. Louis; Main Street Squares, Merry

Makers Kitchen Band, Mello-Dears and the Two Hoofs and a Hollar Kitchen Band, all of Edwardsville; Joy Singers from Highland; Fun-O-Leers, Lincoln; East St. Louis Township Jordanaires; Fairview Heights Senior Citizens Club Kitchen Band and Silverstone Singers, both of Fairview Heights; and Gerlie's High Fashion Models, as well as several individual performers.

The Frank Cherry Orchestra will provide music for dancing. Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Gerontology Office, 692-3454.

## K mart continues to provide Easter food baskets to needy

byK mart will continue its community relations program of providing food baskets at Easter to over 21,000 needy families across the country. The food baskets, containing a ham, potatoes, vegetables and bread, will be assembled by K mart's Good News Committees, groups of employee volunteers.

More than 210,000 pounds of ham, 188,000 pounds of potatoes, 84,000 cans of vegetables and 42,000 loaves of bread will be delivered to needy families by K mart associates the week prior to Easter.

According to K mart's chairman, president and chief execu-

tive officer, Joseph E. Antonini, the positive response to previous food basket programs at Easter and Thanksgiving has encouraged K mart stores to continue sponsoring this program.

Locally, each K mart store will provide at least 10 needy families with food baskets. Other organizations, businesses and community organizations can donate food to sponsor additional families. A local organization will help identify needy families in each area. K mart Good News Committees consist of associates who volunteer their time to participate in "good works" activities in K mart store communities.

## Social Service network to meet

A meeting of the Social Service Network will be held Monday, March 20, from 8:30 to 9:30 a.m. at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College, 4950 Maryville Road.

Guest speaker will be Sandy Locus from Madison County Mental Health Services. Her topic will be the day care program that allows individuals an opportunity for treatment in the community.

The Social Service Network is an organization of service pro-

viders joining together to promote efficient and effective utilization of agency resources.

Agencies are welcome to send representatives to any meeting. Further information may be obtained by calling Shirley Blasiewicz at 674-7792 or Margaret St. Clair at 462-8887.

On April 3, Thomas Fin, of the United Way of Greater St. Louis, will present a program on recruitment and retraining of volunteers.

## Assumption plans 'Last Supper'

Assumption High School, which will be closed at the end of this school term in May, will hold a "Last Supper" at the school on April 22.

A social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m. and will be followed by a catered dinner at 6:30 p.m. The school's gospel choir will

give a presentation at 8 p.m.

Tickets are \$8 for adults, \$5 for high school students and \$3 for children. Tickets may be purchased by calling the school at 397-2796 between 8 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. on school days or by coming by the main office.

## CPR class set

Techniques that save thousands of heart attack victims yearly will be taught at the CPR Techniques Class at the Going Strong Wellness Center, 2103 Iowa St., on Tuesday, March 20, from 6 to 10 p.m.

The cardiopulmonary resuscitation class is open to the community. Participants will learn basic life support, Course A (1-rescuer adult CPR and adult obstructed airway). Cost is \$5 per person. Pre-registration is required.

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## Easter egg hunt at park rink

The Granite City Park District will sponsor an Easter egg hunt on Saturday, March 25, for children from pre-school age through first graders.

The egg hunt will be held at the Wilson Park Ice Rink facility. The eggs will be hidden in straw placed in the rink.

The Easter egg hunt will be held regardless of the weather.

Listed below are the times children should be at the rink.

9 a.m. — first graders.  
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10 a.m. — pre-school children.

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# 'Lean on Me' profile of tough principal

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What would you do if your son or daughter came home and told you all this? Would you believe such a man could exist and actually be doing some good?

Meet Joe Clark, the real-life subject of "Lean On Me" (\*\*\*). Clark is played effectively and intensely in by Morgan Freeman.

The story begins in 1967, when Clark is teaching American history in Paterson, N.J. A somewhat disciplined disciple of change, Clark's history tilts toward social consciousness. The devoted teacher is an equally devoted activist on several personal and political fronts. When he becomes embroiled in a battle between the school board and the teachers union, Clark leaves the high school for a less-demanding, lower-profile job at a local grade school.

For the time being, Clark has given up.

Twenty years later, "Lean On Me" finds Joe quietly going about his duties as a grade-school teacher. The high school he left in 1967 has gone to seed. The school is overrun by drug dealers and violent crime. Teachers fear for their lives. Students are failing to meet state minimum literacy standards. The hallways have become hellways. The mayor of Paterson fears a scandal large enough to cost him the next election.

Then the high school superintendent, played by Robert Guillaume, asks Clark to return to his old school. The superintendent

## Movie News

By Harry Hamm

What happens next may be the most stringent case of narcissism ever captured on film. Clark is not only the new principal, he is an unrivaled, overbearing, unyielding dictator, a man who would make the Ayatollah most look like St. Francis.

While Clark brings about the change that is required, he also makes many mistakes, errors that eventually earn him an arrest and overnight accommodations in the Paterson city jail.

"Lean On Me" is directed by John Avildsen, a director who has somewhat specialized in such "hero" films as "Rocky" and "The Karate Kid." But as a hero, Clark is no purebred. His tactics are Gestapo; his methods warlike; his feelings sincere, his motives unquestioned.

This may be very popular film with teen-agers, who seem to be lacking leadership and discipline. This film does not provide any clues about the origins of Clark, and why he has become the man he is, but it clearly shows the successful efforts of a flawed but dedicated educator who refuses to be compromised by a system of education that will not see its job through.

Rated PG-13 (language and mild violence). Running time: 105 minutes. Rating based on four stars.



THE REEL AND THE REAL: Morgan Freeman, left, portrays tough-as-leather high school principal Joe Clark in "Lean On Me."

## O'Neal gets another brush with Oscar

Actor Ryan O'Neal, who was nominated for Best Actor in 1970 for "Love Story," will join his wife, actress Farrah Fawcett, as a presenter at the March 29 Academy Awards show.

It will be O'Neal's fourth appearance and Fawcett's third on an Oscar telecast.

After hits like "Love Story," "Paper Moon," "What's Up Doc?" and his successful ongoing role as the preppy Rodney Harrington in the television series,

"Peyton Place," O'Neal's fortunes as an actor have not been particularly bright in recent years, as witness the films "Irreconcilable Differences" and "Tough Guys Don't Dance."

O'Neal's new film, "Chances Are," opened March 10. O'Neal's co-star is "Moonlighting" headliner Cybill Shepherd.

Other presenters at the Oscars will be Cher, Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell, Bruce Willis, Kim Novak and James Stewart.

## Muny summer tryouts to be held March 24-25

Tryouts for the singing and dancing chorus for the The Muny's 1989 summer season will be held Friday, March 24, and Saturday, March 25, at the St. Louis University High School Auditorium, 4870 Oakland Ave.

Those auditioning must be at least 16 years of age; tryouts for performers younger than 16 will be scheduled at a later date, if necessary.

The audition schedule is: Male singers: Actors' Equity members will be heard at 10:30 a.m. and non-members at 11:30 a.m. March 24.

Chorus members from previous seasons may audition at 3 p.m. March 25. Final auditions, known as call backs, also will be held March 25.

Female singers: Actors' Equity members will be heard at 1:30 p.m. and non-members at 2:30 p.m. March 24.

Chorus members from previous seasons may audition at 3:30 p.m. March 25 and final auditions will be held the same day.

Singers should bring sheet music in the key they desire, preferably operetta or musical

comedy, and lyrics must be sung in English. An accompanist will be provided and no tape recorders will be tolerated.

Male Dancers: Actors' Equity members may audition at 10:30 a.m. and non-members at 11 a.m. March 24. Chorus members from previous seasons may try out at 10:30 a.m. March 25. Final auditions will be held at the same time.

Female dancers: Actors' Equity members may audition at 1:30 p.m. and non-members are scheduled for 2 p.m. March 24. Chorus members from previous seasons may audition at 11 a.m. March 25. Final auditions will be held at the same time.

Dancers should bring tap shoes, toe and ballet slippers and the necessary rehearsal clothing. Dressing areas will be provided.

Those auditioning should provide a photograph with resume, name, permanent residence address, and telephone number. Photographs will not be returned. If a photo has been previously sent to The Muny it is not necessary to bring another.

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## Johnny Winter at best on album

There is the old saying that a man must know his limitations. Johnny Winter is one recording artist who knows what works for him.

So on "Winter of '88" (MCA/Voyager Records), Winter sticks to what he does best — playing hard-rocking blues.

That is pretty much what Winter has been doing for about 20 years, and it is doubtful that he could be successful if he tried to

branch out into other styles.

"Winter of '88" offers what Winter fans expect — solid songs and plenty of first-rate guitar playing.

"Stranger Blues" and "Lightning" are two blues tunes that give Winter a chance to show his stuff on slide guitar.

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TAXES GOT YOU DOWN?  
SAVE A LITTLE MONEY FROM NOW TO APRIL 1ST  
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Deadline: 10:30 a.m. Monday  
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- SERVICES 780-1680
- EDUCATION 210-220
- MERCHANDISE 1710-2030
- EMPLOYMENT 310-390
- REAL ESTATE 230-2485
- NOTICES 400-600
- COMMERCIAL REAL ESTATE 2500-2545
- PROFESSIONAL SERVICES 550-740
- RENTALS 2600-2710

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WED. JOURNAL  
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Please send resume to: <b>THE PERFECT NANNY</b>, 101 E. Main St., Suite 100, Washington, DC 20001. Phone: (202) 462-1000.</p> <p><b>COMPANY DRIVERS</b> Part time drivers needed for fast paced, local warehouse/delivery company. Must be minimum 25 years old, have good driving record and be capable of driving cargo van and/or straight truck. Experience helpful but not necessary. Hours flexible 55 per hour. Respond to Box 911, Journals, 1714 Dear Tracks Trail, St. Louis, MO 63131.</p> <p><b>DELIVERY DRIVERS</b> Large, well known local warehouse/delivery company seeking individuals with cargo vans, pick-up trucks or autos. Two-way radio, excellent, weekly settlement, experienced, reliable but not necessary. Looking for an individual with a good eye. Respond to Box 909, Journals, 1714 Dear Tracks Trail, St. Louis, MO 63131.</p> <p><b>JOHN NOVOTNY TRUCK CENTER</b> See Joe Ferraro 4100 N. Main Rd. 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No experience necessary. Papers are thrown from your vehicle, with just a few extra. No phone calls please. Apply in writing, listing name, address, phone, and experience. Send resume to the Granite City Press-Record/Journal, in care of Pat Weirich.</p> <p><b>DISPATCHER ASSISTANT</b> Over the road, both trucking company, looking for an experienced, self motivated individual to assist the Road Dispatcher. Opportunity for advancement, competitive salary. Send resume and references to: Box 844, C/O Granite City Journal, 1818 Dear Tracks Trail, St. Louis, MO 63131</p> <p><b>EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR</b> Challenging opportunity to be the driving economic development organization, promoting economic development in the Counties of Madison and St. Clair. Seeking opportunity in economic development. Submit resume to: Executive Director Leadership Council County of Madison Box 1025 Edwardsville, IL 62025 or call 620-1289</p> <p><b>GRILL, COOK &amp; DINER</b> C/OK Wanted. 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**OPEN HOUSE**  
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**210 SPINDLEHILL AVE. - GET AWAY FROM IT ALL!**  
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**NEW LISTING!** This could be what you've been waiting for. Three bedrooms, carpeted, wood burning stove. New roof. New steel doors. Ceiling fan. Priced to sell Low \$39,900. Call available. GC134

**CHARM PROPERTY** - Well-built and beautiful. 1 maintained. This 3 bedroom brick is located near Parkway School. Entry foyer, large fireplace, full finished basement, plus many more extras. \$63,900. GC257

**CORRIAL AND COMFY 3 BEDROOMS** 2 bedroom with additional bedroom possibilities. Drive fireplace in large living room. Attached garage with door opener. Finished basement. Convenient location. \$61,900. GC257

**NEW LISTING - GOOD NEIGHBORHOOD** Three bedroom, 2 bath in excellent condition. \$50,000. A VA loan at \$200 a month. Price \$20,000. GC271

**SPRING IN HERE** and this lovely 2 bedroom home is waiting for a new owner. Large lower level family room, oak kitchen cabinets, newly remodeled bathroom, large detached garage plus many other features. See to believe! 2018 Palm, GC. GC432

**4600 BLYNN - BIGGER IS BETTER** - Over 1300 sq. ft. in this brick ranch with 3 bedrooms, 2 car garage, large kitchen cabinets, newly remodeled bathroom, large detached garage plus many other features. See to believe! 2018 Palm, GC. GC432

**88 VICTORY AVENUE - COUNTRY QUIET** - Minutes from town. Brick beauty has 3 bedrooms. Overize bath. Large kitchen. Full basement. Paved yard. Never roof \$51,000. GC432

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**CATHY BISHOP** 877-6425  
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**REduced 2813** Perishing, 100,000 sq. ft. 2 bedroom, cash, 8 room, 2 bedroom, basement, master, 1st fl. lot.  
**2807 HIGGING** \$17,000, \$17,000 down or \$13,000 cash.  
**HUDSONMAN** 438-1555

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**DUPLICATE** At 4000 Buena, for \$75,000  
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**CONTRACT FOR DEED**  
 Attractive mobile home in quiet neighborhood. Down with payments starting at \$95 per month. 10 months from 5/1. Loan: 345-7337, 875-2061.  
**SALE** A nice new 2 1/2 bedroom, oak, range, mostly new carpet. New kitchen, large living room. Contract for deed \$50,000. \$10,000 down.  
**1982 MELODY** a great home. 1470, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, C.A. range, dishwasher, new carpet, new kitchen. \$17,180/month.  
**1977 MOBILE HOME** (bunk beds). 1470, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, C.A. range, dishwasher, new carpet, new kitchen. \$17,180/month.  
**MOBILE HOME MOVING**  
 For W. Vogel, LLC. Licensed only. 254-1885.  
 moves quick buyers in to a brand new mobile home. MCE. 1470, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, C.A. range, dishwasher, new carpet, new kitchen. \$17,180/month.  
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**SALEM Custom built** 1470, 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 baths, C.A. range, dishwasher, new carpet, new kitchen. \$17,180/month.  
**THREE BEDROOM** Mobile Home. New furnace, new carpet, fenced in lot. \$55,000. Call 631-5068 after 5pm.  
**1972 VANTAGE** 12x62, 2 bed rooms, 2 full baths, new furnace, new kitchen, new carpet, new siding. \$109,300/month. \$18,931.4442.

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**3020 SUNBURY**  
 MOVE RIGHT INTO this darling maintenance-free ranch with 3 bedrooms, lovely kitchen, finished basement with large family room and much more. A must to see!  
 Directions: St. Clair Ave. to National, left on to Sunbury.

**3037 ASH**  
 COZY AND CUTE! Plenty of room for all the family in this 3 bedroom ranch with family room and fireplace. A lovely covered patio is enhanced by beautiful and serene yard. Close to busline and schools.  
 Directions: St. Clair Ave. to Ash.

**3214 MADISON AVENUE - BEGINNER'S LUCK!** For a \$20K price you can own this 3 bedroom ranch with full basement and new roof. New roof. Never called. \$20,000. Call only \$34,900.

**ESTATE SALE** Good starter home with 2 bedrooms and full basement. Close to police department and fire station. All serious offers considered. 2332 Iowa. Call GC225

**3943 WASHINGTON** - Owner says sell! Come and see this extra neat 2 bedroom home. New kitchen, new carpet, new floor. Heat of home all carried. Make an offer.

**NEW LISTING AND PRICED TO SELL QUICKLY** - Nice lot with well built 3 bedroom home with 2 1/2 baths. Full finished basement. Call GC238

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**WENDY HANSEN** 931-2446  
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**NICE HOME - BETTER PRICE** of \$36,500 for this 2 bedroom home with full basement and 1 car detached garage. Newly remodeled eat-in kitchen with 13" of hickory cathedral style cabinets. Furnace and central air 2 years. 12x14 deck. Attic fan & 30" well for lawn. Call for details.

**A LOT FOR A LITTLE** - three bedroom modular home on one acre lot. Home has two baths, woodburning stove, sliding glass doors to Florida room, fireplace in living room. \$45,900.

**NEWLY LISTED** - Two bedroom home with all large rooms. Beautiful kitchen, family room, shower in basement. Wallpaper accents. Furnace and attic fan 3 years old. \$46,000.

**HOME IN MADISON** - 3 plus bedrooms, one and half story. Two level deck of treated lumber. Privacy fence. Two ceiling fans. Basement walls are insulated. \$40,000.

**LOVELY BRICK HOME** - Two bedrooms, large eat-in kitchen plus dining room. Big living room with fireplace. \$55,200.

**GREAT HOUSE AND ACRES TO GO!** - Three bedrooms, Anderson windows, lots of kitchen cabinets and more. Call today for details. \$99,900.

**NEW CONSTRUCTION** - Brick and vinyl ranch with acoustical walls and ceiling. Three bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths. Must see appreciate quality. \$60,800.

**OPEN FLOOR PLAN** gives spacious feeling to living-dining-kitchen area. Three bedrooms and one bath. Very nice home. \$84,900.

**RESIDENT ABOUNDS** with great architectural features, ornamental banister, oak floors, master bedroom suite and more, in prestigious Wilson Park area. \$134,900.

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**COMMERCIAL OPPORTUNITY** - Prime location to rent out or move your business in. One 2,400 sq. ft. building, one 778 sq. ft. building, 100 ft. frontage. \$140,000.

**1986 mobile home** with three bedrooms and two baths. Plenty of closets. Garden job in master bath. Just \$10,500.

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**24 EASTGATE**  
 Two bedroom duplexes. Lots of cabinets and large closets. Each apartment rents for \$400 monthly.  
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**GLENWOOD ESTATES**  
 111 Glenwood - \$114,900  
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**MEADOWLAND ESTATES**  
 22 Willow Bend - \$126,900  
 2 - 4 p.m.  
**COLLINSWOOD**  
 1995 Maple Leaf - \$142,900  
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